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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. ____**

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A RESOLUTION memorializing James "Jim" Dressler.

Whereas, James "Jim" Dressler died Saturday, January 29, 2011, at the age of 75;

Whereas, Jim Dressler spent more than half of his life in the newspaper world serving in many capacities, including political writer, staff writer, sports editor, managing editor, and editor;

Whereas, During his career, he worked for several newspapers, including the New Albany Tribune, the Plainfield Messenger, the Dayton (Ohio) Journal-Herald, the Terre Haute Tribune-Star, and the Brazil Times;

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Whereas, Jim Dressler was a lifelong admirer of Indiana government;

Whereas, Upon retirement, Jim spent ten years as a proofreader for the Indiana House of Representatives during sessions of the General Assembly;

Whereas, Jim Dressler also left his mark on the citizens of Clay County;

Whereas, Jim Dressler helped with many community projects throughout the years, including the restoration of the band shell in 1995; and

Whereas, James "Jim" Dressler will be greatly missed: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to
- 2 extend its condolences to the family of James "Jim" Dressler and to
- 3 express its appreciation for his many contributions to the state of
- 4 Indiana.
- 5 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 6 Representatives transmit copies of this resolution to the family of
- 7 James "Jim" Dressler.

